

## **CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST**

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

## **AMENDMENTS**

☒ If checked, amendments to the specification and claims are submitted herewith.

### **Specification:**

Please delete the paragraphs beginning at page 1, line 8; page 2, line 22; page 4, line 5; and page 6, line 24; and replace such paragraphs pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(ii) with the “clean” version attached hereto as Appendix A. Entry is respectfully requested. A version with markings to show the changes made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(iii) is attached hereto as Appendix B.

### **Claims:**

Please amend claims 1, 2, 4, 6-8 and 12, and add new claims 13 and 14, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(I) as set forth in the “clean” version attached hereto as Appendix A. Entry is respectfully requested. A version with markings to show the changes made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(ii) is attached hereto as Appendix B.